GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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PACHMARHI AYURVEDIC CLINICS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Pachmarhi Ayurvedic Clinics are facing a tough time because of the forest department`s strict vigil on the unauthorized cultivation and collection of medicinal plants and herbs;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the remedial steps taken by the Government or proposed to be taken to provide Ayurvedic consultancy for diabetes, cardiac problems and impotency?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE(SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) & b) As per the information given by Director, Indian Systems of Medicine & Homoeopathy, Madhya Pradesh, there is only one Govt. Ayurvedic Dispensary running in Pachmarhi which is not facing any such problem. Supply of medicine to this dispensary is made by the State Government.

(c) Consultancy for diabetes, cardiac problems and impotency is generally available in Govt. Ayurvedic Hospitals/Dispensaries.